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1. Information Disclosure Statement;

2. Fourteen (14) sheets of Form PTO-1449 listing fifty-three 53) reference documents;

One (1) copy each reference documents AA1-AE1, AL1-AP1, AR1-AT1, AL1-AP2, AR2-AT2, AR3-AT3, AR4-AT4, AR5-AT5, AR6-AT6, AR7-AT7, AR8-AT8, AR9-AT9, AR10-AT10, AR11-AT11, AR12-AT12, AR13-ATA3, 2 and AR14-AS14; and

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